

# Hunters helping condors

## You could win a 2015 Honda Rancher ATV or a new hunting rifle!

This fall, if you hunt big game in southern Utah's Zion unit — and you use a rifle — you may be eligible to enter a prize drawing focused on helping Utah's population of endangered California condors.

Many of these enormous, rare birds have been sickened and killed by lead poisoning. One potential source of that lead may be in the remains of hunted big game animals, which are a common meal for many condors. (See [wildlife.utah.gov/condors](http://wildlife.utah.gov/condors).) By participating in this drawing, you'll have the chance to help Utah's condors and win an exciting prize along the way!

### What prizes are available?

Prizes include a 2015 Honda Rancher 400 4x4 ATV and five high-quality hunting rifles. The Peregrine Fund donated the prizes in an effort to help Utah's population of California condors.

### How can I participate in the prize drawing?

You are eligible to participate if you have an any legal weapon (rifle) permit to hunt big game or antlerless animals within the Zion hunting unit. You may also participate if you are hunting general-season elk in the Zion any bull elk unit. To be entered into the prize drawing, you do not have to harvest an animal, but you must meet the following requirements:

- Demonstrate that you are hunting with non-lead ammunition OR hunt with lead ammunition and remove all of the harvested animal's remains from the field.
- Stop by a check station (see locations on page two) to verify participation and be entered into the drawing.

### What happens at the check station?

When you visit a check station, you must have either a box of non-lead ammunition (that matches the cartridge of the firearm you're hunting with) or the remains of the animal you harvested with lead ammunition.

A check-station staffer will verify that

you meet the requirements and then request your Utah Division of Wildlife Resources (DWR) customer ID number. (This number is located on your hunting permit.) There will be dumpsters onsite at the check stations for the disposal of any remains. All animal remains must be bagged.

After the DWR verifies your eligibility, you will be entered into a prize drawing that will occur on Feb. 21, 2015 at the Western Hunting and Conservation Expo in Salt Lake City. (You do not need to be present at the drawing in order to win.)



**2015 Honda Rancher 4x4 ATV**

## Where can I find a check station?

The following check stations will be open every weekend (both Saturday and Sunday) of October from 11 a.m. until dark:

- On SR-14 at the Strawberry Creek turn-off (approximately 2.5 miles east of Duck Creek Village)
- The intersection of Yellowjacket Rd. and Hancock Rd. (This site is approximately 3.25 miles north of the entrance to Coral Pink Sand Dunes State Park.)
- On SR-14 in Cedar Canyon (a few miles east of Cedar City, between Rusty's Ranch House and Milt's Stage Stop)
- The UDOT shed at Mt. Carmel Junction
- On SR-9 southwest of Zion National Park

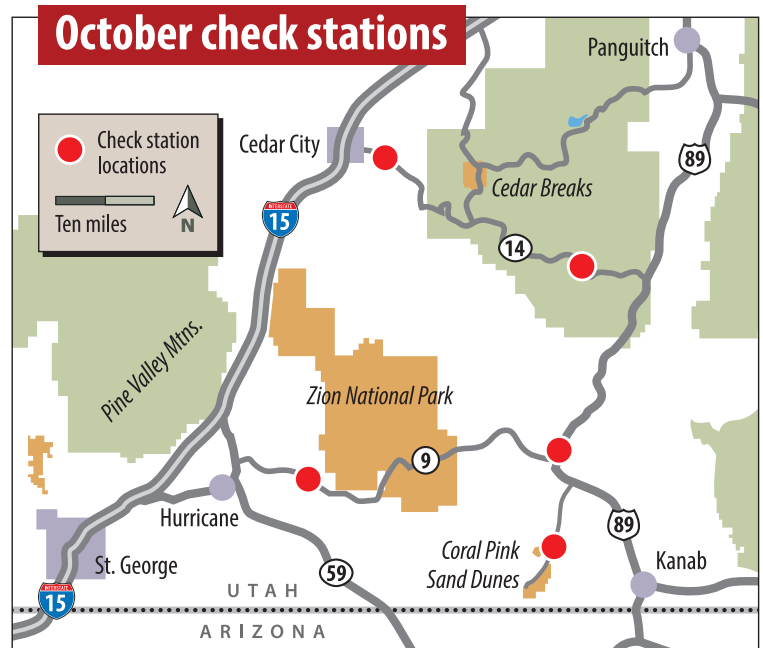
## What if I'm hunting when a check station isn't available?

If your hunt occurs outside the October timeframe or during the middle of the week, you can enter the prize drawing by visiting the DWR's Cedar City office or Washington County Field Office (located at Quail Creek Reservoir). The offices are open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday.

A DWR conservation officer can also verify eligibility and enter you into the prize drawing while you are in the field, but only if you can demonstrate that you are hunting with non-lead ammunition. Officers cannot accept animal remains.

## Where can I learn more?

If you have additional questions about participating in the prize drawing, please contact the DWR office in Cedar City at 435-865-6100.



**Terms and conditions.** Applicants must possess one of the following any legal weapon permits—antlerless, big game, or any bull elk—that allows them to hunt the Zion Unit for the 2014 season. Applicants must also show a box of non-lead ammunition matching their firearm or verify that all harvested animal remains have been removed from the field. Applicants must be at least 18 years old on the date of entry or provide written consent from the applicant's parent or legal guardian allowing their participation. The Division of Wildlife Resources ("Division") reserves the sole right and discretion in verifying eligibility. No fee will be assessed to applicants. Limit one application per valid Zion Unit permit. The Division is not responsible for lost, late, incomplete, ineligible, or unintelligible applications, or for problems of any kind resulting in applications not being considered during the prize drawing. The Division reserves the right to suspend or terminate the prize drawing for any reason. Prizes must be claimed within 30 days of the drawing. Unclaimed prizes will be forfeited. Prizes won by ineligible applicants will be forfeited. Prize winners agree to pay all licensing fees, taxes, and costs associated with the prize. If a prize winner is under the age of 18 when claiming a prize, the prize will be given to the prize winner's parent or legal guardian. The Division makes no representation or warranty as to the quality or condition of the prizes. Applicants release and waive all claims against the Division arising out of the prize drawing and agree to indemnify, save and hold harmless the Division, its agents, employees, and volunteers from and against all claims, demands, damages, and causes of action in any way connected with the prize drawing or use of the prizes.



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